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Senate members of the University of Alberta in the Convocation procession during Saturday's graduation exercises. They are from left to right: F. P. Galbraith, Red Deer; G. B. Taylor, Univer-

sity Registrar; Brother Prudent, St. Joseph's College; H. P. Wright, Calgary, and Dean MacDonald of the Arts and Science Faculty. Many scholarships and prizes were presented at the exercises.

## Students' Council Passes 49-50 Budget; Treasurer Estimates \$2,312.00 Surplus

After an all-day session Sunday, Students' Council approved the 1949-50 Student Union budget. Treasurer Jerry Watkins has budgeted for an estimated surplus of \$2,312.

Budget of the Students' Union will be presented to students in Convocation Hall, at the annual budget meeting, Saturday morning.

## Council Debates Stet's Merits

Stet, quarterly magazine published by the Students' Union took a beating at the Sunday Council meeting.

With two issues still to be printed, the magazine has expended almost its entire allotted budget.

Members of Council raised the question of whether or not Stet was truly the student magazine which it purports to be. Features written by faculty members and outsiders were cited as examples.

Last spring Stet was placed on a quarterly basis in order to gain certain tax exemptions, amounting to \$100. Over the summer, however, a loss of \$250 was incurred. President Miller explained that this was largely due to lack of interest on the part of Summer School students.

Estimated cost of publishing the two winter issues of Stet is \$460. After considerable discussion it was decided to bear this deficit in the hope that some adequate financial set-up could be arranged for the future.

Council members felt that greater student participation should be stressed.

## EDUCATION PROF. HONORARY HEAD

Honorary president of the Educational Undergraduate Society for the coming year will be Dr. Harold Stewart Baker, it was announced at the EUS executive meeting Thursday evening.

Dr. Baker is assistant professor of education. A masters graduate of University of Alberta, he obtained his bachelor of arts at the University of Toronto. His doctorate was obtained at Columbia.

Largest item under expenditures will be the amount set toward the Building Fund. This will be \$28,600. Other items which must be covered from the expected income of \$65,197 are: Evergreen and Gold, \$13,640; Gateway, \$6,011, and Stet \$859.

When the above figures are considered there is only \$16,087 left for the general Union administration. From this must come financial aid to all Union sponsored organizations.

Surplus last year amounted to \$3,645.1 compared to a budgeted surplus of \$5,959. A comparison of these figures, however, does not reveal the true picture since \$1,550 in honorariums and \$1,000 for Public Relations were not included in the original estimates. This year's budget provides for both these items.

Union fees for this year are the highest in the University's history, amounting to \$23.50 per student. A breakdown of this shows the following distribution:

Building Fund	\$8.00
UAB	5.00
Evergreen and Gold	4.00
Gateway	1.75
Stet	.25
Stud. Un. Gen.	4.50

## Budget Meet

The Students' Union Budget for the year 1949-50 will be presented to the student body on Saturday, October 29th.

A general meeting will be held at 11:00 a.m. in Convocation Hall, at which debate may be held on Budget expenditures for the coming year.

As has been the custom in previous years, all scheduled classes for that period will be cancelled.

## New Budget

Gateway budgeting for a deficit of \$50 after last year's surplus of \$732.70. Difference due to decrease in Gateway fees from \$2.00 to \$1.75.

Wauneta Society budgets for \$270 surplus.

Literary Association, Musical Association and Publications budgeting for entertainment totalling \$500.

Union not supporting political study groups on the campus.

Appropriation for full length mirror for Public Speaking Club cut from budget.

Ballet expected to show \$260 profit.

Six cent levy per student goes to support NFCUS.

Alumni Homecoming to cost student body \$347.

Color night budgeting for a deficit of \$735 to be covered jointly by the UAB and Students' Union.

Class dances expected to break even. They will be held in Athabasca Gym.

\$500 to be spent on Public Relations.

## Applications For Committee Wanted

Though applications for the Constitutional Enforcement and Disciplinary Committee were called for October 19 only two of the required three were received. Council has therefore moved to keep these positions open until November 2.

Members of this committee must be senior students who are not actively connected with any other organization on the campus. This applies only to groups who might conceivably have dealings with the Disciplinary Committee.

To date one Law student and one Engineer have applied. The chairman, appointed last spring, is in Law.

## No Junior Nominations Received; Two Executive In By Acclamation

### No Vote

There will be no class elections for the Sophomore and Senior Classes this year except to fill two positions.

Voting to have taken place Wednesday will not be necessary as both class executives were filled by acclamation. Slate of engineers has acquired control of the Senior class while a combination of Ag and Education students make up the Soph executive.

The two offices still vacant are vice-president of the Senior Class and an executive member for the Sophomores. Nominations for these offices will be received in the Students' Union office until 12:00 noon, Friday, October 28th.

Seniors will have as their representatives five engineers. President is Stanley G. Jones; Secretary-Treasurer is Norman Parry. The three executive members are George Manson, Harold L. Morrison and J. F. Hole. No nominations were received for vice-president.

Education and Agriculture students make up the Sophomore executive. Ag student Frank Harper is president. Ed students Mae Empey and Olga Kaleta are vice-president and secretary-treasurer, respectively, and Ags Hugh Campbell and Dave Stelfox are the executive members. One executive position is still unfilled.

### Elections Nov. 9

Elections for Junior and Freshman Class executives will take place on Wednesday, November 9th.

Ballot boxes will be located in the rotunda of the Arts Building, the Education Building, the Medical Building, and the Nurses' Residence.

Deputy Returning Officers will be in attendance between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m.

### Extend Deadline

Once again Student Council has had to extend nomination deadline for Class executives. This was necessitated by the complete absence of candidates for the executive of the Junior Class.

New nomination deadline is noon, Friday, Oct. 28th. Voting will be held Wednesday, Nov. 9th for Junior and Fresh executives.

There are six positions to be filled on the Junior executive. Candidates may be nominated by nine fellow class members. Nomination papers are available in the Student Union office and must be signed by the nominators and the nominee.

Nominations for all but the Freshman class were supposed to have been in the hands of the Students' Union officials by noon on October 21st. The Seniors and the Sophomores partially completed nominations, but nothing was heard from the Juniors. Freshman nominations are still being received.

Difficulty in securing full class nominations has long been a legend on the campus, but this is the first time in years that a class failed to offer any nomination papers.

Two years ago the Sophomore class tendered papers for the position of Vice-President only. Last year the Sophomore class President was elected by acclamation, and all other positions were filled only after an extension was given by Union officials.

It is rather interesting to note that the apathetic Sophomores of last year are, by and large, the Juniors of this year; the Juniors who have failed to submit a single nomination.

There is reason to believe that difficulty is caused by the seeming ambiguity of the word "Junior". In order to clear up any misunderstanding that may have arisen from this direction, Secretary Boyd has issued a statement concerning the position of a Junior student.

Says Boyd, "In order to clarify the situation as to who is a Junior, the Students' Union Constitution states, 'A Junior shall mean: 1. An undergraduate who is registered in the third year of any four, five or six year course. 2. An undergraduate who is registered in the second year of any three year course.'"

Nominations will be received for Junior Class positions until noon on Friday, October 28th. This deadline has also been set for the positions of: Vice-President of the Senior Class, one executive member for the Sophomore Class, all positions on the Freshman Class executive.

### Said Useless

## Discover Waw-Waw Weekend Not Scheduled This Year

Waw-Waw Weekend is not scheduled as a campus activity this year.

This news came as a surprise to Students' Council on Wednesday night. Members rose to their feet to denounce the action of the scheduling committee in omitting the event from the roster. Pros and cons were bandied back and forth with such enthusiasm it became difficult to follow the argument.

Members of Council who thought the abolishment of Waw-Waw was a good idea were in a minority and although they cited several well-founded arguments, they were eventually snuffed under by sheer force of numbers.

Those in favor of the action cited these as reasons for its expulsion: the cost to council is unjustified (cost to council last year was about \$40); it has in the past been held within one or two weeks of Wauneta and the strain on the girls' purses has been all concentrated in the one period at the beginning of November.

Another argument against Waw-Waw put forward was that it had outlived its usefulness. This was a main point of contention, the majority rising to their feet in eloquent elocution to denounce the view.

Most members of Council felt that as long as the support of the students was willingly given to the affair it continued to perform a useful service. "This argument had little effect and the opposition continued to hold their views on its uselessness."

The section which voted for its continuation held a large majority. They took the stand that it should not be abolished if the majority of student opinion was against it.

The supporters argued too, that Waw-Waw was one of the best examples of "school-spirit" that existed today on the campus and as such deserved a high place on the students list of "musts."

Tevie Miller, in deferring the matter to next meeting, said that he had never expected to meet such violent opposition to his motion and

## Key Society Gets Trust Fund

Golden Key Society is to be placed on a different financial basis than other campus clubs.

Wednesday night Students' Council adopted a resolution which will allow the Golden Key to place their surpluses in a special trust fund instead of returning them to the General Fund of the Union as is the case with other campus groups which operate under the Union.

Since the Golden Key is an honorary society, to which the members are appointed or elected, Council feels that they should be given the chance to build up a surplus. This surplus would be used in future years to pay the cost of the blazer. It is hoped that the blazer may be given in the nature of a reward in later years.

Members of the Society this year were given a \$10 subsidy and agreed to purchase the blazer at their own expense. For this year only the cost of the jacket was about \$35.

When the official university blazer is ready for release it is thought it will cost about \$20. Next year the Golden Key blazer will come to approximately the same figure.

If the Golden Key were allowed to build up a surplus, through various activities such as ushering at sports activities, helping with the telephone directory and by the success of Alumni Homecoming Weekend, they could use this money to pay for the blazer to be presented to the succeeding members of the Key.

## Point System To Be Scrapped

Possibility of scrapping the point system was discussed at last Wednesday's Council Meeting. General dissatisfaction with the present set-up was expressed. However, a suitable substitute must be found.

At present any student may obtain a ring award merely on the basis of the positions held and not the work done. Many feel that any award should be on the basis of services rendered and that the point system as it stands now does not do this.

Council appointed a committee of Brian Sproule, Bing Gilmeur and Fred Scott to study the point system and report on possible substitutes.

President Miller outlined some of the systems used at other Universities across the Dominion and suggested that the one used at U.B.C. was possibly the most satisfactory. An award blazer is given to every council member who can then receive no further awards. This body in turn decides on any and all other awards to be given, the criterion being the value of the services rendered by the students under consideration.

would by all means investigate the possibilities of having it held immediately after Christmas.

The subject became a joke and presented one of the few light moments in the evening of heavy business.

John Harms, Dent Rep on Council, said, "I know one woman who had better want Waw-Waw continued; if my wife thinks she'll get off scot-free she is sadly mistaken."

No decision was made at this meeting, but at a later session the problem will be fully aired and a decision made.

## Coeds' Big Night Nearing

By RITA DICKSON  
(Staff Writer)

A fellow needs a girl—and will he ever the night of the Wauneta Formal. And just watch the happy look on his face when he sees her hand over the tickets, because next Saturday night is completely the girl's expense.

A fellow doesn't even have to splurge on a corsage, because corsages are just not being worn. No wonder the man who's got a date for the Wauneta looks so happy! And besides, the gentleman is supplied—free of charge, mind you—with a courtiennere as he and his girl enter the Drill Hall.

Right now big things are underway towards the decorations for the theme "Harvest Moon". Kay Pitcher's orchestra will supply the

mellow mood for this gala program dance. The checkroom in the Drill Hall will be put to its usual good use.

The big evening's receiving line starts at 8:30. Patrons will include Miss Maimie Simpson, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Sparby, and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Eaton.

Tickets go on sale Tuesday in the Arts and Med Building, Pembina, the Nurses' Residence and the Education Building. Prices will be \$1.75 a couple, and special bus tickets will be 25c extra per couple.

For those wishing to go overtime after the dance, reservations may be made at the Mandarin, the Seven Seas or the Purple Lantern. Busses going to these places will return to the campus before two o'clock.

A limited number of reservations

will be received for Tuck, and these must be made when tickets are bought. The last day for reservations for Tuck is Wednesday.

But don't forget there are other places in town, and there's no law whatsoever that says one must go to the aforementioned places.

As for the man situation, a "Date Bureau" is to be set up in the Education Building, under the able charge of May Empey and Olga Kaleta. This is a surefire idea, and the opportunity to use the Date Bureau is open to both boys and girls.

The Bureau is to be run in ballot box fashion. Simply fill in your name, phone number and address, as well as your height and weight, on the slip of paper provided, and drop it in the box or give it to Olga Kaleta or May Empey.

## Alumni Dance Ticket Sale

Ticket sale for the Alumni Homecoming Dance will open on Friday morning in the Arts Building. They will be on sale from 9:00 a.m. till 12:00 noon every day and on Nov. 3rd and 4th sale will continue all day.

Students will have first chance on the limited number of tickets as the sale of tickets downtown does not open until Nov. 2.

Tickets are also obtainable from any member of the Golden Key Society. Advance sale admission \$2.50.



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## Election Schmozzle

The class elections were a complete failure—a flop. Every office but two was filled by acclamation—the two were not even contested. Two faculties had enough interest to take part in the elections—the Engineers, the old reliables, and the House Ec. Department.

—Gateway editorial, 1943.

If it were to occur that the people of Montreal and Toronto, 16% of the country's population, gained complete authority over the actions of the remainder of Canada's citizens, the outcry would be tremendous. Yet a parallel situation exists on our campus and the reaction consists of almost complete apathy. The basis for this statement can be found in the results of Thursday's elections. Excluding candidates and their nominators, only 16% of the eligible voters voiced any opinion as to how their classes should be governed during the remaining months of the 1946-47 term.

—Gateway editorial, 1946.

Campus spirit, if reflected accurately by last week's class elections, has reached an all-time low. Out of a total of 18 positions to be filled on the three class slates, nine were filled by acclamation, four were half-heartedly contested, and the five for which there were no nominations received left a gaping hole in the Sophomore slate.

—Gateway editorial, 1947.

With only one nomination received from the Sophomore class by deadline, the Students' Union has, of necessity, extended the nomination deadline for the positions of vice-president, secretary-treasurer and three executive members of the Soph class.

Freshmen response to the elections was not much better than the Soph, and all offices with the exception of vice-president were filled by acclamation.

—Gateway news story, 1948.

It has happened again this year. The Senior and Sophomore classes have acquired their executives by acclamation except for two positions for which there were no nominations. The Junior class nominated no one.

Year after year Students' Council has had to extend the dates of class elections. This year Senior and sophomore classes will not vote for their executives, except for one remaining position in each class.

From the past and present class election fiascos it is apparent that something is radically wrong. Students have lost interest in the class system. The tendency on the campus in the past few years is for students to attach themselves to faculty clubs. There are faculty club dances, speakers and social functions.

Class executives, on the other hand, have limited themselves, for many years now, to sponsoring the annual class dance, the inter-year plays, class representation in the yearbook, and, in the case of the senior class, graduation functions.

Last year class dances were replaced by a combined ball, the Undergrad Dance. It was a complete success financially and, as we have heard no complaints, can assume it was acceptable to students. However, this year separate class dances are scheduled again.

There will be no interyear plays this year. The faculties have announced the presentation of interfaculty plays. It is understood that this is expected to result in the selection of talented performers from all years, in contrast to the inexperience of the younger classes.

In other words the class executives, which are elected with so much difficulty each year, will be responsible for the comparatively small task of arranging dances which will probably be financial failures and obtaining representation in the Evergreen and Gold. Why, then, do we not abolish the class system?

Perhaps one of the main reasons for maintaining class executives and attempting to widen their scope of activities is the desirability of association and affiliation of students from all faculties. Certainly this is not being carried out by the present class structure, but that does not mean that it is impossible. Any thoughtful and imaginative executive could create and organize class functions where the exchange of ideas and information from all the faculties would be possible.

It may be maintained that this is achieved effectively by the many clubs and societies that flourish on the campus today. If this is so, the loss of the organized class would then be merely the economic reduction of duplicate associations.

Regardless of the benefits or disadvantages of the class system the situation that exists during the nomination and election of the executives is ridiculous.

It is absurd to ask students to run for offices which command so little student interest. It is equally foolish to award points for positions that, as it now appears, require so little in the way of responsibility or executive capacity.

Students, themselves, have indicated their opinions in this matter, in their lack of interest and support. The fact that there was no opposition to the acquisition of the executive positions by the representatives of a single faculty points to the indifference of the student body and the futility of prolonging the life of the class structure in its present state of decay.

Students will be wondering if The Gateway is ever going to appear on time. The staff is becoming rather dubious, too.

Difficulty with this issue arose when it was discovered Monday morning the University Print Shop was without a linotype operator.

Veteran typesetter George Campbell was taken to hospital over the week-end with a reported heart condition. Mr. Campbell has been setting type for The Gateway and other University printing for approximately 25 years.

A relief operator was called for Monday morning, but The Gateway had lost a great deal of time.

## LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Editor, The Gateway,

Dear Sir:

In the last issue of The Gateway there was a letter from some unknown person using the pseudonym "Agin It" questioning the expenditure of \$700 by the Students' Union for Mixed Chorus recordings. I would like to clear up any misunderstanding there might be on this point.

Every year the Mixed Chorus has recordings made by R.C.A. Victor for distribution to chorus members. These recordings are made in the summer and must be paid for in some way or other.

Accordingly, the Mixed Chorus must ask the Students' Union for a loan—a loan that is. This year 125 were made at a cost of \$660.

Express charges from Montreal to Edmonton were approximately \$40, making a total of \$700. The sets are sold to the Chorus members at \$6.00 each. Consequently when all sets are sold \$750 will have been collected and turned over to the Union. Therefore the Union will have realized a small profit on the sale of the recordings.

I hope this explanation is sufficient to enlighten all disillusioned students.

Respectfully,

W. G. N. EGBERT,

Business Manager.

## THINKIN' IT OVER

By The Editor

We received a letter the other day from the Canadian Legion Poppy Fund, 1949 Campaign, informing us that this year's drive is under way. Along with the letter was an explanation of just what the poppy money did.

We always understood that the little red flower we received from the pretty girl on the corner on Tag Day was in remembrance of the men who gave their lives in two world wars. It recalled Captain McCrae's poem, "In Flanders Field the poppies blow, between the crosses row on row," and the poppy became a symbol of our recognition of the debt we owe to those who died on foreign soil.

The letter, from Stewart Pettet, organizer of the Legion campaign, emphasized another debt which we doubt will ever be paid in full. This is assistance to the veterans who came back. Many devoted ten years of their productive lifetime to uniformed service in the defence of the country—ten years that most men spend in advancing themselves in their chosen profession.

If this is the case, it seems natural that many are going to need emergency aid from time to time. It is this end that the poppy fund works.

While there are special acts, such as war veterans allowance, which assist ex-servicemen, it should be remembered that in an emergency speed is essential. According to Mr. Pettet the Poppy Fund has records of cases where aid was dispatched in a matter of hours.

In addition, the letter points out that while the appeal is launched on a national scale, the funds raised locally are used locally.

Poppy day this year is Saturday, November 5. It is expected that the Wauneita Society, which has assisted in the past, will provide campus canvassers.

"Wear a Poppy for Remembrance" is the slogan for the campaign. How difficult it should be for us to forget what the men we are asked to assist have done for us.

## FIRST COTC UNIT AT NEWFOUNDLAND

Formation of a Canadian Officers' Training Corps at Memorial University, St. John's, Newfoundland, has been authorized.

Memorial University Contingent is the first to be formed in the new province and the twenty-sixth at Canadian colleges and universities from coast to coast.

## President Tells Characteristics Of University

Characteristics of a university were outlined by U of A President Robert Newton in the first of a series of lectures to freshmen, last Tuesday morning.

Next lecture in the series, entitled "The Complete Student," will be delivered by Dr. Newton at 11:00 a.m. Tuesday, Oct. 23, in Convocation Hall. All freshmen are excused from classes during the lecture period.

In answer to the title of the address, "What is a University?" President Newton defined a University as "a society of teachers and scholars united in a search for knowledge." He expanded on this definition by explaining that the Latin "Universitas" mean a corporation or society.

One of the main points of his lecture was the emphasis that must be given constantly on the great deal of time which lies outside classes and which is the student's own to use in the best way possible.

Advice from graduates of one college, recently questioned on this subject, was passed on by the President. The majority of ex-students questioned wished they had studied more diligently and that they had made more use of their opportunity for higher learning.

They felt that harder work would have given them more long-run enjoyment and a better preparation for their professional careers. Given a second chance, they would have established closer personal contact with their professors.

Some wished they had been more independent of "the crowd," while others felt they had participated in too many student activities.

President Newton emphasized that the choice of extra-curricular activities must be small if one is to lead in any of them.

Next the President discussed the various subjects a University offers, divided into the three divisions of the Humanities, the Sciences and the Social Sciences. He placed special emphasis on the value of a broad background for all students such as languages and other of the Humanities can provide.

Another important function of University life, he added, was the general development of character and manners in each student. But, he said, it is up to the students to a large extent to strive for the benefits which a college life can offer, in three or four or more years. In closing, he quoted the old adage, "You can lead a horse to water, but you can't make him drink."

## Campus Rumpus

By Brutus

"Friends," said Red Mullins with great conviction, "this university will never be the high-class, modern institution they're trying to make it until lectures are streamlined."

We were sitting in our favorite corner booth in Tuck, resting after the rigors of a nine o'clock lecture. Everyone had a foaming, fizzy glass of Bromo except Chubby McFlab, who revived himself with occasional draughts from a chrome-plated hip flask.

"Hear, hear!" said Chubby. "Lecture habits at this university are a disgrace. They are the most antiquated one can imagine. Why, they're in a class with three-hour exams!"

"Oh, I don't know," I said. "At least you can sleep in lectures." "That's not the point," said Red. "Lectures should be made so interesting that you don't have to sleep."

"How?"

"Well, for one thing," chirped little Randolph Cooper, with a wolfish glint in his eye, "they could use healthy-looking blondes in bathing suits for lab assistants. Wouldn't you guys like to see a Lana Turner marking the register or cleaning the black-board?"

There was a round of applause for little Randolph, and Bard Bailey said:

"I'm for the university supplying stenographers to take our notes. Why, if you had a young lady sitting on your knee getting down everything a professor said, you could give all your attention to the lecture."

We toasted the Bard in Bromo for his excellent suggestion, but Chubby was worried that the coeds wouldn't like it.

"Another thing," said little Randolph, "three-quarters of an hour is not the best length for a good lecture. Our hardest instructors are beginning to flag in the last ten-minute stretch. Why should our professors suffer? Let's cut lectures to 35 minutes."

After some discussion it was decided that it would be better to round it off to an even half-hour per

lecture, with a half-hour between each.

"Also," remarked Red, "I find it rather difficult to concentrate when my pygidium is mashed into a hard, wooden seat. Doncha think we should have spring-filled chairs? The kind they use in showss would be fine."

Red's idea was approved by a majority; and, since it was too late for any of us to make our ten o'clock class, we voted to aid the university by continuing the discussion until 11:00.

"During the world series," Bard Bailey said, "I found it rather annoying to wonder what happened in the first few innings while I suffered through a lecture. Seems to me they oughta install radios in all the rooms and labs. Gee whiz, suppose war was declared or something? We'd never even know about it until lunch-time!"

"There's something else," I said. "You can't pay proper attention to a lecture when you're dying of thirst. They should put a drinking fountain in each class-room."

"No, Brutus, that's too old-fashioned," said Red. "They already did that at Yale. What we need is coke bars in all the rooms."

Again Red's suggestion was received with approbation, and Chubby said:

"I nominate Red Mullins to draw all these suggestions up, so we can sign them and present them to the senate."

Red was duly voted in. But just as we moved to disperse for classes, young Junior Jones, the freshman our gang had adopted, asked:

"But, fellows, if we do all these things, we'd never get through one course in a year. There wouldn't be time. It'd take years to get a degree."

"Whatsa matter, Junior?" snarled Chubby. "Don't you like it around here?"

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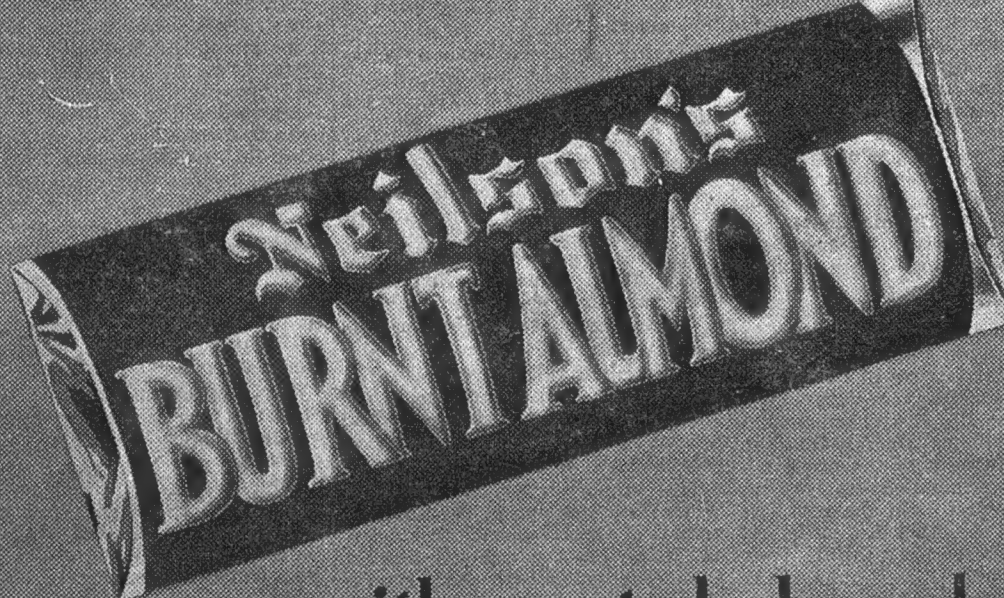
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## CAMPUS CAPERS

By Gordon Nault

"What a simply adorable life you people on Gateway staff must lead," a gushing little froshette bubbles to me the other day at the office. I propped my aching feet up on the desk and attempted to look at the gorgeous creature in front of me but the purple bags around my eyes obstructed a thorough scrutinizing. I blew out a stream of smoke in what I thought was an effective way, and said, trying to be sarcastic: "I wouldn't call it an adorable life. In fact, I wouldn't even call it a life."

"Why?" she asked, raising her cute little ole eyebrows.

"Well for example, I just finished a frustrating phone call. Hello, I asked, is this G. G. Suitable, sports writer? I want you to get something on hockey. I was down to see the guy in charge, Pat Maloney. Well try and get something definite out of him. So far all he's said is: 'Everything concerned with hockey is up in the air.' There's nothing for the newspaper 'cept that we got a hot trip on fire!' Then there's a rumor that Clarence Moher might be the coach—the guy on the other end of the line says—'Say you aren't one of these gooney guys who work on the Gateway?' I blushed, and said No. 'Well I'm not G. G. Gullible either', and the guy hung up. It's that kind of thing that wears you out."

"Then this afternoon I went out to soccer practise. Johnny MacDonald, one of the Engineers' star players said he'd show me a good kick and tells me to stand between the posts. Well, the pigskin was coming fast, straight. My mouth drops open in astonishment. A little while later they removed the ball at the infirmary. Someday I'm going to learn to keep my big mouth shut."

"Of course you meet the most interesting people—like the big burly guy who came barging into the office this morning. He picks me up by the scruff of the neck and says: 'Are you the sad sack who wrote that piece about me?' 'Well, I might.'—Smash! Bang! Crash! Stars! Pop! Later I pick myself up. Didn't hurt a bit. Anyway, false teeth will look so much nicer."

"How perfectly thrilling," the well curved beauty smiled. I grimaced. At that moment the managing editor stalks in.

"What are you doing," she bellowed at me, giving the pool little woman sitting—er—beside me a half-whammy."

"Er—nothing."

"That's precisely what I thought. Don't you realize we have a deadline around here? Hurry up that copy!"

After she left I tried in vain to remove the cigarette ashes she had flicked in my hairdo. Tears started trickling down my face, but bravely I brushed them away. 'Ye Gods,' I suddenly remembered, "Must send some orchids to Ken Moore, Bill Herst, Dave Craig, and Bill Snowden". They were the shining heroes in Saturday's track meet.

I noticed a rather pitiful glance from the pretty froshette, so I said, "Don't under-estimate us reporters though. Look at Clark Kent. Who knows, I might be another superman in disguise."

"If that's the case you're well disguised," she said rather coldly. At once I reached for my shoulder-padded jacket. "Say," I smirked, "you wouldn't want to work on the Sports Dept?" The phone rang at that crucial moment. "Hello, Gordon Paterson speaking. Do you want some info on touch football?" "Yeh," I said in my big executive manner.

An hour and some undecipherable notes later I hung up to find the purty little gal gone. Can't imagine why. Guess she doesn't recognize a true genius at work.



DON BRINTON winds up for the winning discus throw in the Intra-Mural Track Meet, Saturday. Despite extremely cold weather more than 50 campus athletes took part.

## Pandas Drop First Game To Army And Navy Pats

Friday night's games opened the Senior basketball season. A preliminary game saw the Mortons down Starlets 36-18, while in the second event Army and Navy Pats won over U of A Pandas 36-14.

Panda coach, Herb McLachlin, stated that he hopes the city league will give the University team good experience for its forthcoming bout with U of S in the intercollegiate loop.

He thinks the Pats are a very good team and that Pandas will show up better after the whole team practise more together.

Mr. McLachlin says the girl to watch in future tussles is lefty, Joan McFarlane from Calgary and former centre for Witches in that city's senior league.

Joan's only comment was "what a rough league" which too was McLachlin's sentiment.

Mary Millar, star of former years, will be unable to play this season due to heavy Council duties. With a nucleus of Doris Nufer, Kay Tanner and Helen Eckert, the team will be built of new material.

Coaching of this team will be under Elaine Fildes of Phys. Ed. department as Mr. McLachlin has too great an intra-mural program before him.

Line-up included: Pats—Wilson, McIntosh, Gibson, Allan, Cornelius, Davies, Cramer, Riddell, McKenzie, Williams and Skitch.

Pandas—McFarlane, Nufer, Tanner, Eckert, Gauld, McPhail, Dent, Visser and Farley.

### TOUCH FOOTBALL RESULTS

Pharmacy vs. St. Joes, 0-11; Zates vs. Phi Delt, 5-10; Kap Sig "A" vs. Dekes, 12-0; S.A.M. vs. Kap Sig "B", 0-17; Stampede vs. St. Steve's "B", 0-1 (default); L.C.A. vs. Phi Kap, 0-5; D.U. "B" vs. Pharmacy, 31-6; D.U. "A" vs. Zates, 10-0; St. Steve's "A" vs. Dekes, 1-0 (default).

### "YOUNGSTERS" WANTED

Wanted—Basketball players for the varsity junior team. Must be under 21 as of Dec. 31, 1949. The squad will be entered in the city loop as a junior squad.

For further details see Prof. Don Smith of Physical Education, Varsity Gym. Practices are staged Monday and Friday at 4:45 p.m. and Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday at 4:00 p.m.

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### Delta Upsilon Wins

## Moore Leads Field Of 40 In Intramural Track Meet

By Dick Bradshaw

Sixty-four dollar question currently asked seems to be: "Who put the curse on Varsity athletes?"

Indeed track enthusiasts seem to be hexed with bad weather, first at Saskatoon and now on our own campus. Nevertheless, forty rugged fellas braved the near-freezing temperatures to compete in the Intra-mural track meet Saturday.

Ken Moore was the starry winner of individual honors, taking the javelin throw and two seconds. Runners up were Dave Craig and Bill Snowden. Team results were as follows:

1st, Delta Upsilon, 32; 2nd, Kappa Sigma, 18½; 3rd, St. Steve's, 18; 4th, Residence, 12; 5th, Commerce, 9½.

Delta Upsilon's hero, Ken Moore brought in 11 points for his frat when he took first in the javelin throw, second in discus, and second in shot.

The most outstanding event of the afternoon, apart from the bitter cold, was the 880 in which newcomer to athletic circles, Bill Herst, trimmed the favored Frank Miklos with a razzle-dazzle sprint in the last 300 yards, coming up from fourth place to win by thirty yards. Bill Snowden edged out Cal Edworth in the 220 to take the thrilling race in 23.8 seconds.

The meet was run off on schedule (something unusual in track meets) under the capable directorship of Ivan Head and Herb McLachlin.

Track officials met their difficulties during the afternoon with a frozen grin. Roy Haliburton, track meet starter, says: "It was the coldest meet I've experienced."

Pat Woodcock, Kappa Sigma, injured his knee while practising the pole-vault and was unable to take part in the meet.

Longway and Meronek took the one mile, first and second, respectively, Laurie MacLean taking third after losing his lead when he suffered stomach cramps during the last lap.

### Track Results

Javelin—1st, Ken Moore, D.U.; 2nd, Irwin Zocharios, Steve's; 3rd, Bill Walsh, D.U., 124'.

Discus—1st, Don Brinton, D.U.; 2nd, Ken Moore, D.U.; 3rd, Al McKenzie, Steve's, 97'8".

Shot Putt—1st, Dave Craig, K.S.; 2nd, Ken Moore, D.U.; 3rd, Frank Miklos, 30'2".

Broad Jump—1st, Wayne Minon, Steve's; 2nd, Ted Allison, K.S.; L. A. Broddy, Commerce, 17'8".

High Jump—1st, D. Craig, K.S.; 2nd, R. Dinkel, Residence; 3rd, D. Brinton, 5'1".

### Howson President Of Boxing Club

New president of the Varsity Boxing Club is Bill Howson, second year Ed student. He was elected recently at a meeting which also saw Doug Jones installed as secretary-treasurer; Wally Beaumont, honorary president, and advisor, Jack Perry.

The Club coach for '49-'50 is Arnold Holmes. Workouts and coaching sessions will be staged Tuesdays and Thursdays from 4:00 to 6:00 in the Varsity Gym. Three boxing and wrestling cards will be presented jointly by the two varsity clubs this year, the last one being the annual Assault-at-Arms with Saskatchewan.

First- and second-year students who have no yearning for P.E. classes are asked to note that membership in the Boxing Club may mean exemption from P.E. This was the case in former years.

100 Yard Dash—1st, Bill Snowden, D.U.; 2nd, R. Moffat, Residence; 3rd, L. A. Broddy, Commerce, and Bill Laurensheer tied; 10.9 seconds.

220 Yard Dash—1st, Bill Snowden, D.U.; 2nd, Cal Edwards, Steve's; 3rd, R. M. Moffat, Residence; 23.8 seconds.

440 Yard—1st, Ron Thomas, Commerce; 2nd, Jim Proudfoot, Commerce; 3rd, Frank Miklos, Residence; 23.8 seconds.

880 Yard—1st, Bill Herst, Steve's; 2nd, Frank Miklos, Residence; 3rd, Bob Maulsky, Steve's; 2.26 seconds.

One Mile—1st, Eric Longway, Residence; 2nd, Harry Meronek, Residence; 3rd, Laurie MacLean, D.U.; 5:35 and 2 seconds.

440 Yard Relay—1st, Kappa Sigma; 2nd, Delta Upsilon; 3rd Commerce; 50.5 seconds.

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Convocation on Saturday saw the presentation of three honorary degrees of Doctors of Laws. Here L. B. Thomson is presented with the degree by Dr. McNally, Chancellor of the University. A. Balmer Watt of Edmonton and James Fowler of Calgary also received honorary degrees.

## Council Approves Erection Of Signboards On Campus

Several large signboards will appear on the campus shortly. Students' Council passed a resolution which will make an appropriation for this as soon as plans are drawn. It is proposed that three or four of these large outdoor signboards will be placed at strategic points about the campus. They will be large enough to carry much of the advertising now carried by the indoor boards.

One of the main reasons for the erection of these outdoor boards is the clutter caused on the grounds by the small handbills. The janitorial staff has complained on several occasions of this needless mess

## NOTICES

The Photo Club will hold a model night on Thursday, October 27th, at 7:30 p.m. in Hut "C". No room was available on Tuesday night. Bring all available lights.

If the person who took by mistake a brown frieze cloth overcoat containing gloves and earmuffs from the Harvest Hop on Saturday will contact Warren Pentland, 11119 86th Ave., he may get his own coat back.

University Musical Club has announced the program to be offered next Sunday, Oct. 30, in Convocation Hall, at 9:00 p.m.

Don Clarke, violin, and Bob Hoare, organ, will be the featured artists. Gladys Balderson will be the accompanist.

### LOST

Matched Scheaffer's pen and pencil set and pipe from top of coat rack outside Med 142. Please leave at Gateway office.

### LOST

Ronson lighter with RCAF crest on it. Kindly phone 31905.

### WANTED

Female to share rather nice suite and expenses. See Marjorie Lee, or phone her at 32737.

### LOST

Near the University on Friday afternoon, a pair of glasses with plastic rims, bi-focal lens, in red leather case. Please leave at University Book Store.

### LOST

Brown key case, with two fasteners. Would the finder please leave at The Gateway office.

### LOST

K. E. Loglog Duplex Slide Rule. Name John Dlugos printed on inside of black leather case. Contact Gateway office. Reward.

### LOST

Pair of brown-rimmed glasses in leather case, on Monday, in Med Building. Phone Anne Witwicki at 35374, or leave in Gateway office.

### LOST

In the Cafeteria, between 9:00-10:00 a.m. Monday—blue Burberry. Identical coat left in place, with car keys in pocket. Would the person who made the error call A. W. Peterson at 81427.

and Council is trying to eliminate as far as possible the nuisance. Permanent outdoor sign boards will help save the students the needless expense involved in printing small dodgers. All notices such as class elections will be carried by the new boards and this will help relieve the congestion of the boards in Med, Arts and the Ed building.

## Plan Banquet For Civic Leaders

In recognition of the co-operation received in the past from the civic government, the Students' Union will honor some of the city's leaders with a banquet to be held sometime in December.

Guests are expected to include the mayor and city council, the school board, and the heads of the various civic departments. Mayors from other Alberta centres will be present, and Edmonton's service clubs will be represented. Public Relations Office will be in charge of arrangements, which are similar to those for the annual Parliamentary Banquet, and include a campus tour, a dinner, and a student musical program.

### ANNOUNCEMENT

Applications are called for the position of the Students' Union Constitutional Enforcement and Disciplinary Committee. Applicants should be Senior students. All applications must be in to the Union Office by 5:00 p.m. November 2, 1949.



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## Standing Resolutions

(Following are Standing Resolutions from the University Constitution printed at request of Students' Council. Resolutions carried over from year to year are a vital part of our life and student activities. Full list of the resolutions may be found in the Students' Union Constitution, which may be obtained on request from the Students' Union office.)

### I.—Dramatic Society Advisory Board

1. That there shall be working with the Dramatic Society Executive, an Advisory Board on play selection.
2. That this Board shall consist of three non-student members, two of whom shall be selected by the Dramatic Society Executive and approved by the Literary Society Executive, and the third to be chosen by these two.
3. That the names of the first two so selected be approved by the President of the University before being asked to act.
4. That this Board shall be appointed annually, the appointment to be made before the first day in November of the year during which it is to hold office.

### II.—Scholastic Standing

That the scholastic standing of all applicants for positions or appointments under The Students' Union be investigated before such appointments are made, and that no student who, in the opinion of the University authorities, has not attained a satisfactory standing, should receive such an appointment.

### III.—Honorariums

1. The following people be given some consideration by having Council discuss granting meritorious awards to them for their year's work:
  - (a) Editor-In-Chief of The Gateway; Two Sub-Editors; Sports Editor;
  - (b) Evergreen and Gold Director;
  - (c) Secretary of The Students' Council;
  - (d) Treasurer of The Students' Council;
  - (e) Editor of Evergreen and Gold;
  - (f) Assistant Director of Evergreen and Gold.

### 2. The Gateway:

- (a) The Business Manager shall receive as commission 10% of the national advertising and 2% of the sum of the national and local advertising collections.
- (b) The Advertising Manager shall receive as commission 10% of the local advertising.

### 3. Evergreen and Gold:

- (a) The Business Manager of the Evergreen and Gold shall receive on advertising account collections

commissions at the rate of 5% on the first 65% of the outstanding accounts and 10% on the last 35%.

### 4. Telephone Directory:

- (a) The Director of The Telephone Directory shall be awarded points as outlined in the Points System Act.
- (b) The Business Manager of the Telephone Directory shall receive as commission 10% of the advertising solicited.

5. The Class Dance Ticket Manager shall receive for his services complimentary tickets to each and every Class Dance.

6. Passes to all Union activities, i.e., those of the Music Association, Literary Association and Athletic Board shall be given to the following persons:

- The President of The Students' Union.
- The Vice-President of The Students' Union.
- The Secretary of The Students' Union.
- The Treasurer of The Students' Union.
- The President of the Literary Association.
- The President of the Musical Association.
- The Chairman of the U.A.B.
- The President of the Wauneta Society.
- Three to the Evergreen and Gold staff to be distributed by the Director.
- Three to the Gateway staff to be distributed by the Editor-In-Chief.

### IV.—Reserve Funds

#### 1. The Gateway.

That a Gateway Reserve Fund (in bonds) be built up until it reaches the amount of \$500.00 by the following methods:

- (a) One hundred dollars shall be set aside each fall provided that:
  - (1) The Gateway turned over to The Students' Union a surplus of more than \$100.00 for the preceding session.
  - (2) The Students' Union (including The Gateway and Yearbook) has a total surplus of \$500.00 for the preceding session.

(b) All interest payments received from the investments of The Gateway Reserve Fund shall accumulate to an interest Reserve Fund, which shall be used as herein set out. See sec. 4, ss. 4.

#### 2. Evergreen and Gold.

That an Evergreen and Gold Reserve Fund (in bonds) be built up until it reaches the amount of \$500.00 by the following methods:

- (a) One hundred dollars shall be set aside each fall provided that:
  - (1) The Evergreen and Gold turned over to The Students' Union a surplus of more than \$100.00 for the preceding session.
  - (2) The Students' Union (including The Gateway and Year Book) had

as total surplus of more than \$500.00 for the preceding session.

(b) All interest payments received from the investments of The Year Book Reserve Fund shall accumulate to an interest Reserve Fund which shall be used as herein set out.

### 3. The Students' Union.

That the Students' Union General Reserve Fund (in bonds and savings certificates) be built up by the following methods:

(a) The interest payments received from the investments of The Students' Union General Reserve Fund shall accumulate in an interest Reserve Fund which shall be used as herein set out.

(b) After The Students' Union General Reserve Fund has reached the amount of \$1,000.00, no further grants shall be made to it.

### 4. Interest Reserve Fund.

(a) That this fund shall consist of interest earned on The Gateway Reserve Fund, Evergreen and Gold Fund and Students' Union Reserve Fund.

(b) This interest be transferred yearly to the Building Reserve Fund.

### 5. Building Reserve Fund.

That this fund be built up from the following sources:

- (a) General:
  - (1) That a four dollar fee allotted each year to this fund under Section VII, subsection 2(f) of The Students' Union Act.
  - (2) The net accumulated surplus from The Gateway, Evergreen and Gold, and Students' Union General, taken together, at the end of any fiscal year, which shall be turned over to the Building Reserve Fund after the end of the next succeeding year; provided always that the respective reserves of The Gateway, Evergreen and Gold, and Students' Union General are maintained at their prescribed level before any such appropriation is made to the Building Reserve Fund.

(3) Any other moneys whatever that may in future be allotted to this fund by any Students' Council.

### 6. Equipment Reserve Fund.

(a) That the amount of \$300.00 be budgeted annually by The Students' Council to establish and maintain this fund, which shall be utilized for the purchase, replacement and maintenance of any and all equipment which may be required for The Students' Union or any member organizations, and which in the opinion of The Students' Council is not properly chargeable against current disbursements.

### 7. Class Finances.

(a) All classes shall apply for funds by budget.

(b) The sum of fifty cents for every member of the Senior Class shall be set

## Appoint Piening Business Chief

Ludwig Piening has been appointed Business and Advertising Manager for Stet magazine to replace Walter Dinwoodie, the Students' Union permanent secretary. Mr. Dinwoodie has handled the job for the past two issues but with the commencement of the winter session, will not have sufficient time to carry out the work.

Stet's budget comes to about \$1,600 of which one quarter must be obtained through advertising.

Piening has previously been Circulation Manager of The Gateway and an Alarm editor.

aside from general funds to defray the cost of the graduation functions.

(c) The Senior Class gift shall not exceed one hundred and ten dollars (\$110.00) and shall appear in the budget of the Senior Class. The executive of the Senior Class shall decide the disposal of the class gift.

### V.—Recommendations

1. That The Students' Council recommend that the Secretaries in the various departments of the Union prepare a full statement of their department's activities, which will be given to the succeeding secretaries for references from year to year.

### VI.—The Gateway

That The Gateway shall be published not less than thirty (30) times during each academic year, and that this number shall be changed only by a motion of The Students' Council to that effect.

### VII.—Monthly Reports

That the secretary of every organization having power to draw on the general fund shall submit in writing to the Secretary of The Students' Union a monthly report dealing with the activities of his particular organization for the past period, and containing such additional information as may be required by The Students' Council from time to time. Such reports shall be submitted on or before the 7th of October, November, December, January, February, March and April.

### VIII.—Improper Signs

It shall be an offence for any student to post up, show or exhibit in any way, or cause to be posted up, shown or exhibited in any way, any lewd, indecent or suggestive picture, poster, sign or matter.

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